2011 Mining Information Session

US Environmental Protection Agency and Alaska Department of Natural Resources

The US Environmental Protection Agency and the Alaska Department of Natural Resources will share information on mining and the environmental permitting process for mining projects. Topics include:

- Fundamentals of Exploration Mining and Mineral Processing
- Environmental Concerns and Issues, including Soil Water, Air Impacts, Tailings Dams
- Environmental Regulations and Permitting Process
- How Tribes and Community Members Can Be Involved

Community members from the Bristol Bay Region are all invited. Elders, tribal leaders, youth, and representatives of the city, native corporations, watershed council or non-profits – please join us!

The Friday session in Dillingham will include a late-morning discussion with EPA managers about the upcoming EPA Bristol Bay Watershed Assessment. This discussion will be held at the Newhalen Teen Center on Wednesday evening, prior to the Thursday session in Newhalen. Please see the meeting agendas for additional details.

Your pre-registration is requested to help us plan for handouts and limited meeting room space. Please register by May 27th, 2011. There are several ways to register:

- Online at www.epa.gov/region10/bristolbay;
- Call or send an e-mail to Tami Fordham at: 907-271-1484 or Fordham.Tami@epa.gov
- Fax this form to: Tami Fordham at 907-271-3424

Please Pre-register by May 27, 2011

Newhalen on Thursday, June 2,	Dillingham on Friday, June 3
8:30 am - 4:30 pm at the	8:30 am - 5:30 pm at the
Newhalen Teen Center	BBNA Head Start Building

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